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**Horses, Mules, Dairy Cattle, and Breeding Bulls—Inspection of, for Communicable Diseases, when Imported. (Chap. 54, Act Apr. 12, 1915.)**

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, company, or corporation, their agents and servants, to bring into the State of California any horses, mules, dairy cattle, or breeding bulls except as hereinafter otherwise provided.

(a) Dairy cattle and breeding bulls over 6 months of age must be accompanied by a certificate of health and tuberculin-test record signed by a qualified veterinarian showing that each of said animals is free from communicable diseases, including tuberculosis, and copy of such certificate and tuberculin-test record shall be mailed to the State veterinarian of the State of California on the day the shipment of said animals starts from its origin.

(b) In lieu of such certificate of health and tuberculin test record, as provided for in subdivision (a) of this section, said dairy cattle and breeding bulls may be brought into the State of California, provided said animals are accompanied by a signed statement issued by the State veterinarian or other authority in charge of live stock sanitary work in the State from which such animals are transported, stating that the animals in the shipment originated in herds which are free from tuberculosis and are not affected with any communicable disease, and a copy of said statement shall be mailed to the State veterinarian of the State of California on the day the shipment of said animals starts from its origin.

(c) Horses and mules must be accompanied by certificate of health signed by a qualified veterinarian, stating that each animal in the shipment is free from communicable diseases, and a copy of said certificate shall be mailed to the State veterinarian of the State of California on the day the shipment of said animals starts from its origin.

(d) In lieu of the certificate provided for in subdivision (c) of this section, horses and mules may be brought into the State of California, provided said animals are accompanied by a signed statement issued by the State veterinarian or other authority in charge of live stock sanitary work in the State from which said animals are transported, stating that each animal in the shipment is free from communicable diseases and has not recently been exposed to any communicable disease, and a copy of said statement shall be mailed to the State veterinarian of the State of California on the day the shipment of said animals starts from its origin.

SEC. 2. Animals accompanying shipments of emigrant movables shall be exempt from the inspection or certification as provided for in this act. It is further provided that when horses, mules, dairy and breeding cattle are being brought into the State of California for exhibition or theatrical purposes, said animals shall likewise be exempt from the inspection and certification as provided for in this act: *Provided, however,* That when dairy or breeding bulls which have been brought into the State of California for exhibition purposes are sold to remain in the State of California, said animals shall be subjected to the tuberculin test and certified to as free from tuberculosis by the State veterinarian of the State of California before said animals are delivered to the purchaser.

SEC. 3. Whenever it shall have been determined by the State veterinarian that a communicable disease exists among domestic animals in any other State or Territory in the United States or foreign country, and the importation of animals from said State or Territory or foreign country might spread such disease among animals within the State of California, nothing in this act shall be so construed as to prevent or prohibit the governor of the State of California from issuing his proclamation quarantining said State or Territory or foreign country or from prescribing the regulations under which animals might be imported into the State of California from said State or Territory or foreign country.

SEC. 4. That certain act of the legislature of the State of California approved June 4, 1913,<sup>1</sup> entitled "An act to prevent the importation into the State of California of

<sup>1</sup> Reprint No. 264, p. 85.

horses, mules, asses, or cattle which are affected with any infectious or contagious disease; to provide for the inspection of such animals before they are brought into the State; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of neat cat le for dairy or breeding purposes affected with tuberculosis into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911; to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prevent the importation of horses, mules, and asses affected with glanders into the State of California,' approved March 7, 1911," is hereby repealed.

SEC. 5. Any person, firm, company, or corporation, their agents, servants, and employees, who shall violate any of the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$500, or by imprisonment in the county jail for a term not exceeding 180 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

**Advertisements—Untrue, Deceptive, or Misleading. Prohibited. (Chap. 634, Act June 1, 1915.)**

SECTION 1. Section 654a of the penal code is hereby amended to read as follows:

654a. Any person, firm, corporation, or association, or any employee thereof, who, with intent to sell, furnish, perform, or in any way dispose of real or personal property, choses in action, merchandise, service, professional or otherwise, or anything of any nature whatsoever offered by such person, firm, corporation, or association, or any employee thereof, directly or indirectly, to the public for sale or distribution, or to induce the public in any manner to enter into any obligation relating thereto, or to acquire title thereto or any interest therein, shall make, publish, disseminate, circulate, or cause to be made, published, disseminated, or circulated, or in any manner place or cause to be placed before the public in the State of California, in any newspaper, magazine, book, pamphlet, circular, letter, notice, handbill, poster, or other publication, or on any billboard, sign, card, label, or other advertising medium, or by means of any electric sign, window sign, show-case or window display, or by any other advertising device, or by public outcry or proclamation, or in any other manner or means whatever, an advertisement of any sort regarding such real or personal property, choses in action, merchandise, service, or anything so offered to the public, which advertisement shall contain any statement, representation, or assertion concerning such real or personal property, choses in action, merchandise, service, or anything so offered to the public, or concerning any circumstance or matter of fact connected in any way, directly or indirectly, with the proposed sale, performance or disposition thereof, which statement, representation, or assertion is false or untrue in any respect, or which is deceptive or misleading, and which is known, or which by the exercise of reasonable care should be known, to be false or untrue, deceptive, or misleading by the person, firm, corporation, or association making, publishing, disseminating, circulating, or placing before the public said advertisement, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor: *Provided, however,* That this act shall not apply to any publisher of a newspaper, magazine, or other publication who publishes said advertisement in good faith, without knowledge of its false, deceptive, or misleading character.

**Mattresses—Making, Remaking, and Sale—Labeling. (Chap. 641, Act June 7, 1915.)**

SECTION 1. (1) The term "mattress," as used in this act, shall be construed to mean any quilted pad, comforter, mattress, mattress pad, bunk quilt, or cushion stuffed or filled with wool, hair, or other soft material to be used on a couch or other bed for sleeping or reclining purposes.

(2) The term "person," as used in this act, shall be construed to include all individuals and all firms or copartnerships.

(3) The term "corporation," as used in this act, shall be construed to include all corporations, companies, associations, and joint-stock associations or companies.